

# NIPPON MAD AT AN ALLEGED "SNUB" FROM WASHINGTON

Anger Bubbles Up In Tokio When  
Text of American Note To Chi-  
nese Government Is Made  
Public By Ambassador Reinsch

MESSAGE FAILS TO HAVE  
EFFECT ON CHINA TANGLE

Journals of Mikado's Capital  
Comment Fiercely Over What  
They Call Lansing's "Glaring  
Interference" With Control

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

TOKIO, June 14—The presen-  
tation in Peking by Doctor  
Reinsch of a note from the sec-  
retary of state at Washington to  
the Chinese foreign department,  
in which the United States states  
its regret at the internal dissen-  
sions in China, has created much  
more of an effect here than in the  
Chinese capital. The receipt of  
the American note had apparent-  
ly no influence in shaping the  
course of events in China, which  
is today on the eve of a serious  
revolution, but it has stirred up  
popular feeling throughout Japan  
against the United States.

That the United States has un-  
duly interfered at Peking and has  
snubbed Japan by going over  
Japan's head, paying no atten-  
tion to the especial influence  
Japan exercises in China is the  
opinion of the Tokio press, frank-  
ly expressed. The news of the  
American note was received here  
generally with the greatest sur-  
prise, while the editorial com-  
ments regarding it are in no in-  
stance favorable.

That Japan occupies a special  
position in regard to China is gen-  
erally regarded here as to be tak-  
en for granted and America, in  
view of this and in further view  
of the fact that the United States  
is now a party to the Entente,  
would appear in a much better  
light, according to Japanese opin-  
ion, if she had asked for an ex-  
change of views with the Entente  
before acting. Especially should  
Washington have consulted with  
Tokio, which is adhering strictly  
to its implied pledges to its allies  
not to attempt to interfere in a  
matter of purely domestic char-  
acter in China.

The newspapers of Tokio, al-  
most without exception, call the  
action of Secretary Lansing "a  
glaring interference" on the part  
of the United States with the in-  
ternal affairs of China and warn  
the government that this note of  
protest against the suggestion  
that a monarchy be reestablished  
in China probably marks an  
epoch in the affairs of the Far  
East. If the United States be al-  
lowed to thus exercise pressure  
upon the government of China  
now, the effort will be probably  
only a precursor of further Amer-  
ican interferences in China in the  
future.

## MANCHURIA DAMAGED; RAMS U. S. MONITOR

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

NEW YORK, June 14—The liner  
Manchuria, formerly of the Pacific  
Mail, was seriously damaged yester-  
day through collision with the monitor  
Amphitrite. The liner and the monitor  
crashed in a dense fog.

# TEUTONS WANT HUGE INDEMNITY Need Hundred Billion To Break Even

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

COPENHAGEN, June 14—Germany  
will demand war indemnities aggregat-  
ing one hundred billion marks, to help  
her out of her financial difficulties and  
cover her war expenditures—if she  
wins. This statement was made yester-  
day by the minister of finance of the

grand duchy of Baden at a session of  
the upper chamber of the legislature.

Following this statement of the huge  
sum the Empire will need to pull out of  
the financial hole into which the war  
has plunged the nation, the chamber re-  
jected the demand of the Socialists that  
it go on record as favoring peace with-  
out indemnities.

## ROOT AND MISSION REACH PETROGRAD

American Envoy Received Enthu-  
siastic Reception At the  
Russian Capital

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

PETROGRAD, June 14—Envoy Ex-  
traordinary Elihu Root, at the head of  
the special American mission to Russia,  
reached this capital last night and was  
given an enthusiastic reception by the  
officials of the provisional government  
and by the public generally. Many  
American flags are being flown.

In the mission are Admiral James H.  
Glennon, U. S. N.; Major General  
Scott, U. S. A.; Charles S. Crane, Cy-  
rus McCormick, Charles Edward Rus-  
sell, James Duncan, Samuel R. Bertron  
and Dr. John R. Mott.

## DRAFT OPPONENTS GET PRISON TERMS

Anarchists In New York Pay Pen-  
alty For Lack of Patriotism

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

NEW YORK, June 13—Louis  
Kroner, a confessed anarchist, was to-  
day sentenced to two years' imprison-  
ment and to pay a fine of \$10,000, and  
Morris Becker was sentenced to a year  
and a half, both in Atlanta federal peni-  
tentiary, for conspiracy to circulate  
anti-draft literature and for failure to  
register under the new army law.

Herman Levine, a school teacher, was  
sentenced to eleven months' imprison-  
ment for failure to register.

## KROONLAND REPORTS SINKING SUBMARINE

AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 13—The  
American steamer Kroonland, ar-  
riving here today, reports that she  
rammed and sank a hostile submarine  
in the war zone a few days ago. The  
steamer was attacked by two subma-  
rines, but eluded the torpedoes which  
both launched, and by agile maneuver-  
ing succeeded in crushing one under her  
bow and sending it to the bottom.

The submarines attacked the vessel  
one on each side. During the maneu-  
vering the Kroonland lost a propeller  
blade.

## SUBMARINES TAKE HEAVY BRITISH TOLL

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

LONDON, June 13—The weekly re-  
port today of ravages by the U-boats  
shows that twenty-two British vessels  
over 1600 tons were sunk since last  
Wednesday and ten under that tonnage.  
Six fishing vessels were sunk.

This is an increase over the toll of  
ship victims reported last week, which  
was fifteen vessels over 1600 tons and  
three under.

## RUSSIAN JEWS TO VOTE ON STATE IN PALESTINE

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

LONDON, June 13—The All-Russian  
Zionist Congress has decided to hold  
a plebiscite of all Israelites, voting on  
the proposal to set up a Jewish state  
in Palestine.

## CONSPIRACY CHARGED

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 14—The trade  
commission charged yesterday that 166  
lumber concerns in the Middle West  
have entered into a conspiracy to sup-  
press competition, and formal com-  
plaints were filed. Representatives of  
the various corporations and firms have  
been ordered to appear before the com-  
mission on July 31. The investigation  
which led to the preferring of charges  
came as the result of a complaint which  
was brought by a mail order house.

## SOMETHING DEFTABLE

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

Diarrhoea is always more or less pre-  
valent during this weather. Be pre-  
pared for it. Chamberlain's Colic,  
Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is  
prompt and effective. It can always be  
depended upon. For sale by all Dealers  
Benson, Smith & Co., Agents for Haw-  
aiki.

## PREDICTS ENGLAND SOON STARVED OUT

German Admiral Gives England  
Only Two Months Against  
Submarine Campaign

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

COPENHAGEN, June 13—That Eng-  
land will be "starved out" and the  
Allies brought to submission through  
the German submarine campaign, is the  
declaration of a German admiral, as  
quoted in the reitshlag by Conservative  
Leader Hildebrand. He quotes the ad-  
miral as saying that England has but  
two months longer, as the submarines  
will force her to terms.

## U. S. KEEPS OUT OF GREEK AFFAIRS

Policy of Hands Off Is Adopted  
By Administration

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 13—No part in  
nor interference with the activities of  
the Allies in Greece nor with the policy  
of Greece which may develop from the  
abdication of the King is being taken  
by the United States. In explanation  
of this it is said that while the United  
States is military ally of the Entente  
Powers it is not their partner in mat-  
ters of diplomacy.

Reports from Athens received here  
say that the city is quiet and perfectly  
maintained order is reported through-  
out Greece.

Expectation is that Venizelos, the  
former premier, will be recalled to  
power and will practically be the head  
of the new government that is to be  
established.

## PRINT PAPER MAKERS PROPOSE POOL PLAN

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 14—Announc-  
ing the failure of all the plans and sug-  
gestions offered to secure an acceptable  
price for print paper, the newspaper  
Trade Commission yesterday asked con-  
gress to authorize a government pooling  
plan.

The purpose of the proposed pooling  
plan is to have all plants taken over  
and operated on government account  
and at reasonable profits. The Canadian  
government would be asked to  
pursue a similar course.

The report predicts that there will  
be a huge panic and many newspapers  
and other publications must go under  
unless some such step is taken. It  
points out that huge profits are being  
made by wood pulp and print paper  
manufacturers and that prices are be-  
ing so boosted as to approach the pro-  
hibitive.

## NEW SPANISH MINISTRY IS COMMITTED TO NEUTRALITY

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

MADRID, June 13—A new Spanish  
ministry has been formed with Dato as  
premier. It is committed to strict neu-  
trality.

## PERSHING'S WORD FINAL

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 13—It is an-  
nounced here today that General  
Pershing will confer with the French  
military leaders and determine where  
the American expeditionary forces will  
be placed, and that his recommendation  
will be final.

## WAR FRONTS QUIET

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

NEW YORK, June 14—Reports from  
the various war fronts indicate a lull  
in the fighting yesterday as compared  
with the tremendous activity that has  
recently been manifested. Aside from  
British raiding on the German trenches  
in France and intermittent artillery fire  
in Belgium the day was quiet without  
changes in positions on the Western  
front.

Minor operations continued during  
yesterday on the Italian front, ac-  
cording to last night's reports and simi-  
lar advices came from Macedonia.

# FENDISH CRUELTY BY AUSTRIANS ON SERBS REPORTED

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

Thousands of Helpless Men and  
Women Dying From Brutalities  
Inflicted; While Others Are Go-  
ing Insane Under the Treat-  
ment of the Hun-taught Troops

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

PARIS, June 14—A story of in-  
credible cruelties practised  
upon Serbian prisoners by the  
Germans and Austrians was re-  
lated here today by the Serbian  
minister, who declares that thou-  
sands of his countrymen are dead  
and other thousands have been  
driven insane by the brutal treat-  
ment of the Huns.

Three thousand Serbians who  
are imprisoned in Austria-Hun-  
gary have been rendered insane  
by their terrible sufferings, the  
minister declared. Typhus fever  
has killed 16,000 of the Serb pris-  
oners.

The brutal Teutons, the minis-  
ter asserts, have stolen the cloth-  
ing of the defenseless prisoners  
and have forced them to labor on  
the various battlefronts. Hun-  
dreds have been killed by Italian  
shells while working as slaves for  
the Huns.

## ORGANIZED LABOR PLANS TO FORCE DOWN LIVING COST

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 14—Organized  
labor has been convinced that the  
creation of a food control as proposed  
by the administration would cut the  
prices of necessities fully thirty per  
cent. It was determined last night  
that organized labor will get behind  
the administration measures and urge  
their immediate enactment by con-  
gress.

Labor leaders and congressmen  
conferred last night and Hoover joined  
them as he had promised in response  
to their invitation. It was deter-  
mined that an organized effort must  
be made to force prices to a level  
where the small wage earner can ex-  
ist. Figures were quoted to show that  
while flour is selling at \$15 a barrel it  
can be manufactured for \$7 and could  
and should be sold profitably at from  
\$8 to \$9.

Other commodities and their prices  
were quoted and fair profits named on  
them and it was the consensus of opin-  
ion that concerted action alone can  
bring food prices down to a level  
where the working man and his family  
can live with any degree of comfort.

At the close of the meeting the labor  
representatives passed the resolution  
which puts organized labor behind  
President Wilson in his efforts to se-  
cure a control of food products and  
their prices.

The bill prohibiting the use of food-  
in the manufacture of distilled or malt  
liquors, during the period of the war,  
was yesterday favorably reported by  
the senate agricultural committee. The  
President, under this bill, is empow-  
ered to requisition spirits for war pur-  
poses.

## CIVIL WAR ONCE MORE THREATENS CHINESE REPUBLIC

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

PEKING, June 13—Darker clouds are  
hovering over China, and revolt appears  
nearer at hand and more serious than  
at any time since new complications  
arose.

Chiang Chao Chung, the acting  
premier of the republic, has signed the  
presidential mandate dissolving parlia-  
ment. It is freely predicted that this  
action will bring on a civil war.

Governors of the southern provinces  
have telegraphed to the president that  
their provinces will no longer recognize  
his authority.

Troops in Kwan Tung, Yunnan,  
Kwang Si and Kwei Crow are mobiliz-  
ing. The intent of the action to dissolve  
parliament came under pressure from  
Chang Shun, governor of Ahwei.

## ROCKEFELLER BUYS MORE LIBERTY BONDS

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

NEW YORK, June 14—John D.  
Rockefeller subscribed for the fourth  
time yesterday for a block of Lib-  
erty Bonds, bringing his total sub-  
scription up to twenty million dol-  
lars. His subscription yesterday  
was for \$5,000,000.

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# AIR CONTROL IS KEY TO VICTORY American Aircraft Program Announced

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war crafts to be used in the actual  
fighting. A large corps of army avi-  
ators are to be trained in schools to be  
established in the United States and  
given their finishing training in France  
under French officers.

## NAVAL GUNNERS FOUND UNREADY Went To Sea Without Range Finders

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munication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 14—When the  
United States first undertook to com-  
bat the ruthless submarine warfare of  
Germany by arming merchantmen sail-  
ing for European ports, those mer-  
chantmen sailed without waiting for  
range finders.

This was part of a surprising  
testimony given yesterday by Chief  
Gunner Bohan of the steamship Ni-  
agara before the senate committee that  
is probing naval affairs, failure to hit  
submarines, gun accidents and muni-  
tions as relating to naval gunnery. The  
witness said he believed gun accidents  
and the failure to take range finders,  
accounted for the lack of success that

## GENERAL PERSHING ARRIVES IN PARIS

Head of American Expedition  
Warmly Welcomed On Quay  
and In French Capital

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munication Service)

PARIS, June 13—Maj. Gen. John J.  
Pershing landed at Boulogne today  
with his personal staff.

A large party of British and others  
received him on the quay with military  
honors. Anthems were played and dis-  
tinguished French officials greeted the  
American general commanding the  
United States contingent for France.

This evening General Pershing and  
his party arrived in Paris, where the  
city gave them a big demonstration as  
a mark of gratitude for America's en-  
try into the war.

## COAST GUARD CUTTER SUNK BY COLLISION

McCulloch Rammed By Governor  
Off Point Arguello

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munication Service)

SAN FRANCISCO, June 13—The  
coast guard cutter McCulloch was sunk  
today in a collision with the steamship  
Governor at Point Arguello. The ac-  
cident occurred in a dense fog at seven  
twenty-one this morning, the cutter  
sinking a few minutes later.

Rapid work brought the crew of the  
McCulloch safely to the Governor, none  
being lost.

The Governor was somewhat damaged  
but was able to proceed.

## KRONSTADT FORT MAY BE REFUSED SUPPLY

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

PETROGRAD, June 13—An all-Rus-  
sia council of peasants today passed a  
resolution declaring that food will be  
cut off from the fortress city of Kron-  
stadt unless that garrison there gives  
immediate support to the provisional  
government. It is reported now that  
the Kronstadt forces are fully support-  
ing the government.

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## Registration Short of Estimates With Six States Missing

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munication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 14—With six  
States missing in the total estimates,  
registration is still more than two mil-  
lion short of the ten million estimate of  
the census bureau.

Returns from thirty-nine States and  
the District of Columbia show a regis-  
tration of 7,776,434 eligible for service  
and 7,413,852 who claim exemptions.

As some of the largest States are not  
included in the thirty-nine that make  
up the totals thus far compiled, and as  
the rigid enforcement of the registra-  
tion law is being insisted upon and has  
been brought home clearly to the gov-  
ernors of the States of the Union, regis-  
tration authorities now feel more con-  
fident of equaling or exceeding the cen-  
sus board estimate.

## PEAT INSTEAD OF COAL AS FUEL IN SWITZERLAND

(By The Associated Press)

BERNE, Switzerland, May 30—So  
short is Switzerland of coal, thanks to  
Germany's repeated failure to live up  
to its contract for 550,000 tons monthly,  
that there has been founded in  
Bern a large company, backed by the  
economic department of the Swiss gov-  
ernment, for the exploitation of peat  
wherever it may exist in the republic.

There is probably not enough peat to  
make up for the coal shortage, but the  
authorities are going ahead on the basis  
that "every little bit helps." With  
a partial coal famine prevailing, no  
fuel of any kind that is available is to  
be overlooked.

## WAR BUDGET BILL IS ADOPTED BY SENATORS

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 13—The senate  
today enacted the war budget bill, in-  
cluding the appropriation for buying  
the Jamestown site for an auxiliary  
naval academy.

## PETROGRAD SOCIALISTS ELECT CITY COUNCIL

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

LONDON, June 13—The Socialists  
have carried the elections for the Petro-  
grad municipal council.

## HEAVY DEATH LIST FEARED

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

PARIS, France, June 13—The steam-  
er Tequana has been sunk by a subma-  
rine. She was from Africa, and it is  
feared that 190 out of 550 passengers  
have been lost.

## STEAMER DESTROYED

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Com-  
munication Service)

BOSTON, Massachusetts, June 13—  
The Leyland liner Anglian has been  
submerged in the Atlantic Ocean.

## JAPAN LOANS TO FRANCE

(Special Cablegram to Nippon Jiji)

TOKIO, Japan, June 13—Japan has  
loaned a \$50,000,000 French loan.

## PILES CURED IN 6